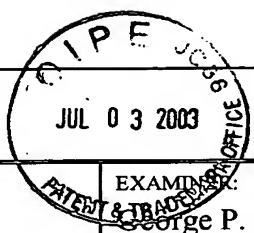


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FE-BASED CORE AMORPHOUS METAL ALLOY HAVING A LINEAR BH LOOP

INVENTOR(s): Ronald J. Martis et al.

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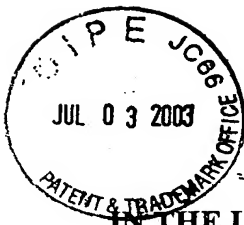
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated April 28, 2003, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Rewrite claims 1 and 6 as follows:

1. (Amended) An amorphous iron-based alloy having a composition consisting essentially of about 70-87 atom percent iron, up to about 20 atom percent of the iron being optionally replaced by cobalt and up to about 3 atom percent of the iron being optionally replaced by nickel, manganese, vanadium, titanium or molybdenum, the balance of elements present comprising a member selected from the group consisting of boron, silicon and carbon, said alloy being heat-treated to induce a linear BH characteristic and low magnetic loss.